

## **E-PUBLISHING INITIATIVES: WEBPAGE RESOURCE**

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**ABSTRACT:** Three years ago, the authors created a web page linking to "Scholarly Electronic Publishing Initiatives" (SEPI) which has turned into a resource for librarians and patrons alike. The web page was initially developed to help answer faculty members' questions about electronic journal publishing since many faculty were editors, or on editorial boards of scholarly societies, exploring the potential of electronic publishing. The web page has developed into a first-stop resource point for looking at the wide variety of issues involved with electronic publishing, whether it be preprints, licensing, copyright, reference linking, preservation or much more. <http://www.lib.ucdavis.edu/healthsci/webpub.html> The web page is currently being \*completely\* revised (to be completed in May 2003) with an expansion in all sections and the addition of a new section on digital preservation/archives issues. Many of these projects will be of interest to developing countries as the emphasis is on cost-effective or free access to the scholarly research literature.